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Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace the third paragraph on page 8 of the specification with the following amended paragraph:

A "CI-2 like" polypeptide refers to a polypeptide of at least 23 consecutive amino acids of Seq. ID No. 2 or 4; or a polypeptide of at least 30% amino acid sequence identity with corresponding region of Seq. ID Nos. 2 or 4 or 20; or a CI-2-like polypeptide with modifications identified in CI-2; or a protease inhibitor with an active site loop typically between 53 and 70; or a CI-2 homologue modified to enhance its nutritional value by altering the amino acid residues at positions corresponding to those defined herein. CI-2 like polypeptides from various organisms ~~The following organisms~~ may be modified according to the methods and figures in the specification such as from: *Hordeum vulgare*, *Zea mays*, *Vicia faba*, *Cucurbita maxima*, *Canavalia lineata*, *Vigna angularis*, *Nicotiana tabacum*, *Nicotiana sylvestris*, *Sambucus nigra*, *Momordica charantia*, *Solanum tuberosum*, *Lycopersicon peruvianum*, *Lycopersicon esculentum*, *Amaranthus caudatus*, *Arabidopsis thaliana*.